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For: PARTIAL RETRIEVAL OF IMAGES IN THE COMPRESSED DOMAIN

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

AMENDMENT IN CPA

Responsive to the Official Action dated October 23, 2003 (for which petition is hereby made for a one month extension of time), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1-14.

Please add the following new claims:

15. (New) A method of compressing an image at a server, storing a compressed representation of the image at the server and transmitting at least part of the compressed representation of the image from the server to at least one client, the method comprising:

transforming the image into a frequency domain to form frequency domain coefficients;